गया है कि वे पर्यावरण पर इसके प्रभाव के मूल्यांकन के संबंध में आवश्यक ब्यौरा भेजे । ब्यौरे अभी प्राप्त नहीं हुए हैं और पर्यावरण की दृष्टि से मंजूरी अभी तक नहीं दी गई है ।

(ख) परियोजना प्राधिकारियों और राज्य सरकार तथा राज्य प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड से सारी सम्बन्धित सूचना प्राप्त हो जाने के बाद ही इसका मूल्यांकन किया जा सकता है ।

(ग) जी, हां ।

(घ) संगठनों और अलग-अलग लोगों से अभ्यावदन प्राप्त हुए हैं, जिनमें कहा गया है कि नेशनल आर्गेनिक केमिकल इण्डस्ट्रीज लिमिटेड के संयंत्र का आधुनिकीकरण/विस्तार करने से पर्यावरण पर प्रभाव पड़ेगा । राज्य सरकार और परियोजना प्राधिकारियों से अनुरोध किया गया है कि वे सारी सम्बन्धित सूचना इस मंत्रालय के पास विचारार्थ भेज दें।

Contributions made by Public Sector Undertakings to Bharat Krishak Samaj

*378. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN:
SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what are the public sector enterprises which have made contributions to the Bharat Krishak Samaj during the last three years and during the current year till date;

(b) what are the other organisations which have received similar contributions from Public Sector Enterprises during the same period;

(c) whether Government have taken any steps to curb such contributions; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI BHAGEY GOBARDHAN): (a) and (b) The decisions to make contributions to other organisations are taken by the managements of the PSES themselves. The information on the subject is being collected.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.

Enploitation of uranium in West Khasi Hills in Meghalaya

*379. SHRI G. G. SWELL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether uranium in large quantities is found in the West Khasi Hills of Meghalaya;

(b) whether the Atomic Energy Commission has set up permanent camps and is engaged in building other infrastructures in the area for survey, investigation and collection of data;

(c) if so, the total area which would be involved in these operations; and

(d) whether it would entain the displacement of a large tribal population?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (PROF. M. G. K. MENON): (a) Yes, Sir. Exploratory survey and investigation have revealed the occurrence of a sizeable amount of uranium deposits at Domiasiat, West Khasi Hills, Meghalaya.

(b) Yes, Sir. Atomic Minerals Division is continuing exploration activities in Domiasiat, Sindumdum, Wahkaji and Makyrwat area of West Khasi Hill Distt, Meghalaya for the evaluation of Uranium occurrences. Temporary camps have been set up

in the area for survey and prospecting. The present investigations around Domiasiat are a prelude to possible exploitation of Domiasiat Uranium deposits in future.

(c) About 10 sq. m. area around Domiasiat will be covered by these operations.

(d) No, Sir. The area being thinly populated, there will be no need to displace a large number of inhabitants in the area.

Establishment of Sanskrit University at Kalady, Kerala

*380. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:
SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a decision has been taken for the establishment of a Sanskrit University at Kalady, the birth place of Adi Jagat Guru Shri Shankaracharya, for which Government had sanctioned an ad-hoc grant of Rs. 1.00 crore;

(b) what is the progress made so far; and

(c) the cooperation of the concerned State Government received so far in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) The Government of Kerala has planned to establish a Sanskrit University at Kalady. At the request of the State Government, the Central Government has sanctioned an ad hoc grant of Rs. 1.00 crore for setting up of the new university.

(b) and (c) The State Government has prepared a draft Bill for introducing in the Legislative Assembly for setting up the university. The draft Bill was cleared by the University Grants Commission with minor modifications. According to the information available, the State Government has not yet introduced the Bill in the Legislative Assembly. The Government of India has given all possible cooperation for implementing State Government's proposal to set up the university.

Project integrated education for the disabled

@3003. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE:
SHRI MAHENDRA PRASAD:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of States and Union Territories including Delhi, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Rajasthan have joined the Project Integrated Education for the Disabled (PIED), which envisage innovating methods to educate the disabled kids; and

(b) if so, what are the salient features of the project of mentally handicapped and retarded children who have suffered birth asphyxia or otherwise suffer mental handicaps?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The project envisages coverage of children with all disabilities including the mentally handicapped. The salient features of the project are:

(i) Composite area approach to planning and management of education facilities for children with disabilities.

@Previously Unstarred Question 2717 transferred from the 31st August 1990.